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SUBJECT: VISIT TO WASHINGTON OF BUNDESTAG DEPUTY  
PETER SCHMIDHUBER

1. THE CDU/CSU BUNDESTAG FRAKTION SPEAKER FOR  
COMPETITION POLICY QUESTIONS, PETER SCHMIDHUBER, PLANS  
TO BE IN WASHINGTON APRIL 20-29 TO ATTEND A  
CONFERENCE ALONG WITH FRENCH PARLIAMENTARIANS AND  
MEMBERS OF THE US CONGRESS. WHILE IN WASHINGTON,  
HERR SCHMIDHUBER WOULD LIKE TO MEET WITH FEDERAL  
TRADE COMMISSIONER ENGMAN AND JUSTICE DEPARTMENT  
ANTI-TRUST DIVISION HEAD MR. KAUPER. HE IS INTERESTED  
PARTICULARLY IN NEW DEVELOPMENTS IN AMERICAN ANTI-TRUST  
LEGISLATION AND REGULATIONS.

2. HERR SCHMIDHUBER HAS ASKED THE GERMAN ECONMIN  
ANTI-TRUST OFFICE TO ASSIST IN SETTING UP THESE  
APPOINTMENTS; AND OUR MINISTRY CONTACTS HAVE  
SOUGHT EMBASSY ASSISTANCE. IT WOULD THUS BE  
APPRECIATED IF DEPARTMENT COULD SET UP APPOINTMENTS  
DURING HERR SCHMIDHUBER'S VISIT WITH MR. ENGMAN  
AND MR. KAUPER; OR, IF THIS PROVES IMPOSSIBLE,  
WITH RANKING OFFICIALS OF THESE OFFICES.

3. HERR SCHMIDHUBER, A 44-YEAR-OLD ECONOMICS AND TRADE  
EXPERT, HAS BEEN A MEMBER OF THE CSU SINCE 1952  
AND A BUNDESTAG DEPUTY SINCE 1965. IT IS FELT THAT ANY  
ASSISTANCE WE WILL BE ABLE TO EXTEND WILL FURTHER  
OUR RELATIONS WITH THE CDU/CSU FRAKTION, AND  
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